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44. (Amended) A system that is suitable for collecting a body fluid from a region of the body of a person to be examined, the system comprising:

a lancing device which is suitable for holding a lancet and

a lancet magazine for storing a plurality of lancets, the lancet magazine

comprising

a transport device adapted to transport lancets and

an opening into which the lancing device can be inserted to remove an individual lancet from the lancet magazine, and

each of the plurality of lancets in the lancet magazine comprising a sterile tip and a protective sheath surrounding the sterile tip.

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45. (Amended) The system of claim 44, wherein the protective sheath is removed when the lancing device is inserted into the lancet magazine.

47. (Amended) barb and an ejector.

The system of claim 46, wherein the holding tongue includes a

for collecting a body fluid from a region of the body of a person to be examined, the system comprising:

a lancing device which is suitable for holding a lancet and

a lancet magazine for storing a plurality of lancets, the lancet magazine

comprising

a transport device adapted to transport lancets

an opening into which the lancing device can be inserted to remove an individual lancet from the lancet magazine, and

each of the plural ty of lancets comprising a lancet body having opposed recesses configured to engage the lancing device.

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51. (Amended) A system that is suitable for collecting a body fluid from a region of the body of a person to be examined, the system comprising:

a lancing device which is suitable for holding a lancet and

a lancet magazine for storing a plurality of lancets, the lancet magazine

comprising